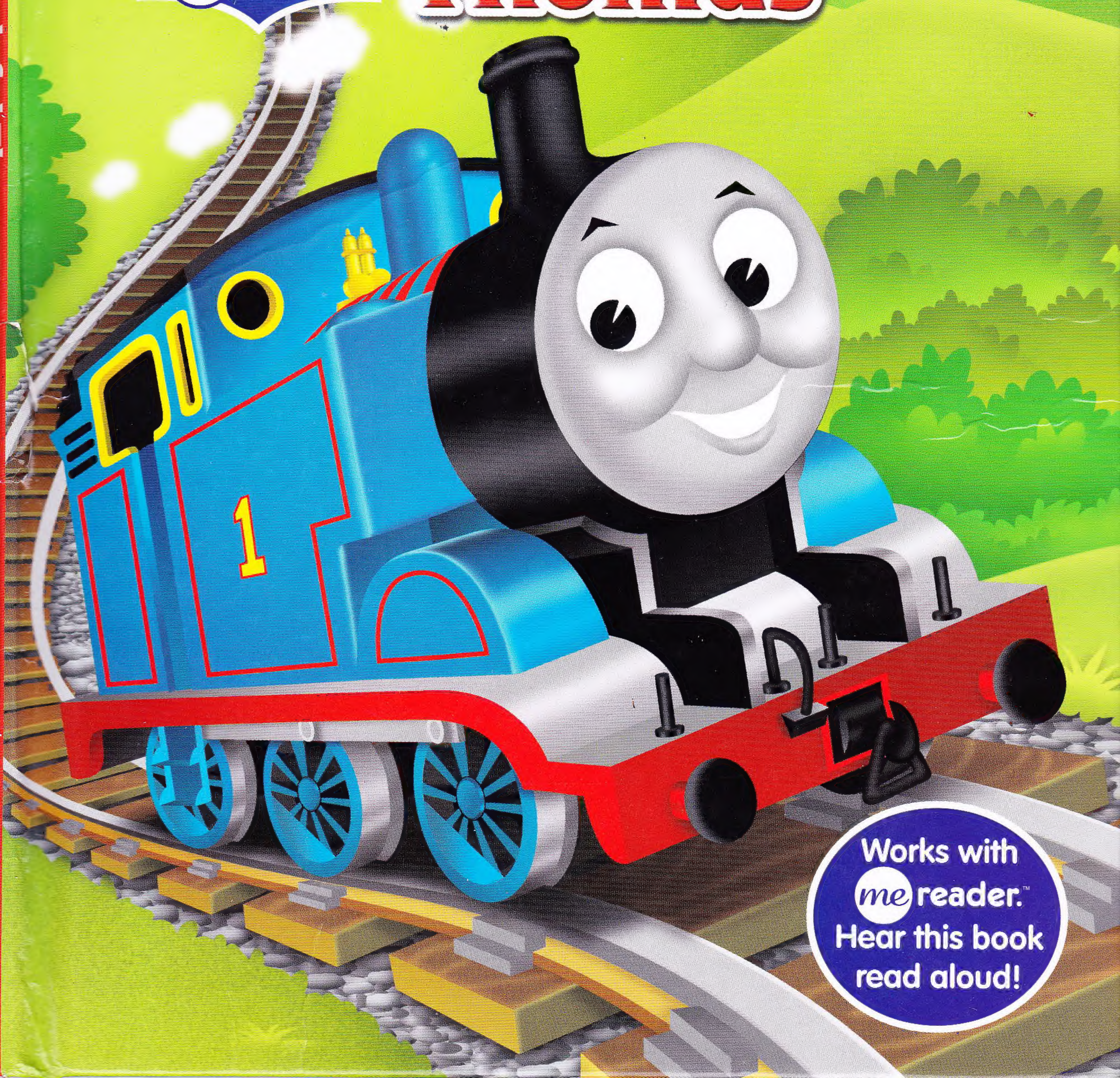


Helpful Thomas

THOMAS
& FRIENDS



Works with
me reader.
Hear this book
read aloud!

Here's How to Play!

1. Select a Me Reader book to read.
2. Press its matching book button on the Me Reader sound pad.
3. Open the book to any page.
4. Press the color-coded page button that matches the button picture and border color of the page you're on, and hear the story read aloud. (If you would like to stop the story, press the same page button again.)
5. To hear another page of the same book, repeat Steps 3-4.
6. To hear another book, repeat Steps 1-4.

This Me Reader book is designed to work with this sound pad:



Troubleshooting

- Are you using the sound pad that corresponds with your set of books?
- Did you remember to press a book button before pressing a page button?
- Does the book button you've pressed match the Me Reader book you selected?
- Does the page button you've pressed match the button picture and border color of the page you're on?
- Is the LED light off? If so, the sound pad has gone into sleep mode. Sleep mode occurs after two minutes of inactivity. To wake it, press the button that matches the book you want to read.
- Is the LED blinking? If so, the batteries are low. You might need to replace the batteries.

Battery Information

Includes 3 replaceable AAA batteries (UM-4 or LR03).

Battery Installation

1. Open battery door with small flat-head or Phillips screwdriver.
2. Install new batteries according to +/- polarity. If batteries are not installed properly, the device will not function.
3. Replace battery door; secure with small screw.

Battery Safety

Batteries must be replaced by adults only. Properly dispose of used batteries. Do not dispose of batteries in fire; batteries may explode or leak. See battery manufacturer for disposal recommendations. Do not mix alkaline, standard (carbon-zinc), or rechargeable (nickel-cadmium) batteries. Do not mix old and new batteries. Only recommended batteries of the same or equivalent type should be used. Remove weakened or dead batteries. Never short-circuit the supply terminals. Non-rechargeable batteries are not to be recharged. Do not use rechargeable batteries. If batteries are swallowed, in the USA, promptly see a doctor and have the doctor phone 1-202-625-3333 collect. In other countries, have the doctor call your local poison control center. Batteries should be changed when sounds mix, distort, or become otherwise unintelligible as batteries weaken. The electrostatic discharge may interfere with the sound module. If this occurs, please simply restart the sound module by pressing any key.

Warning: Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures: Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna. Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver. Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected. Consult the dealer or an experienced radio TV technician for help.

In Europe, the dustbin symbol indicates that batteries, rechargeable batteries, button cells, battery packs, and similar materials must not be discarded in household waste. Batteries containing hazardous substances are harmful to the environment and to health. Please help to protect the environment from health risks by disposing of batteries properly and by taking batteries to local collection points. Batteries handled in this manner are safely recycled.

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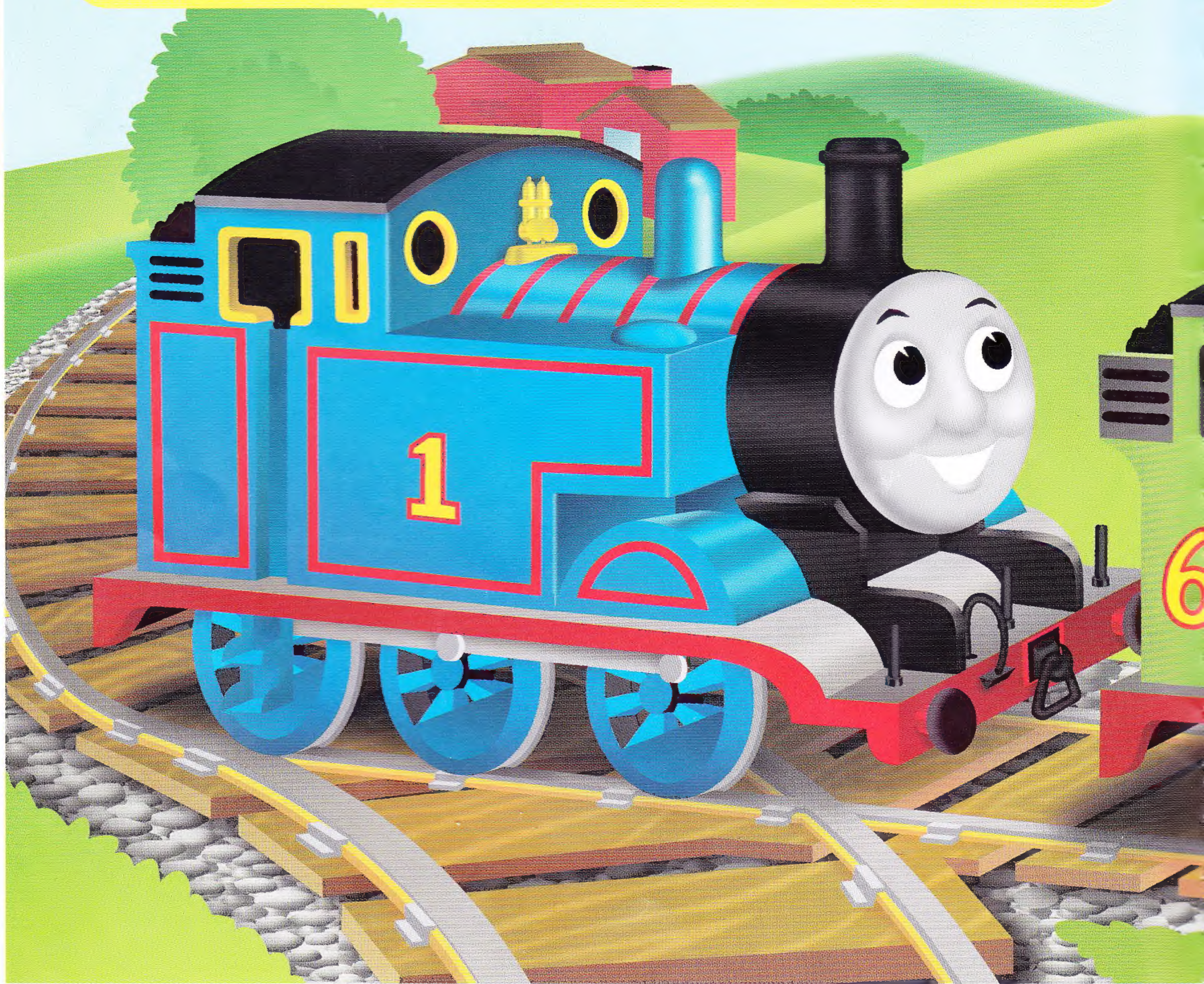
Thomas' whistle is broken! He must have it fixed.

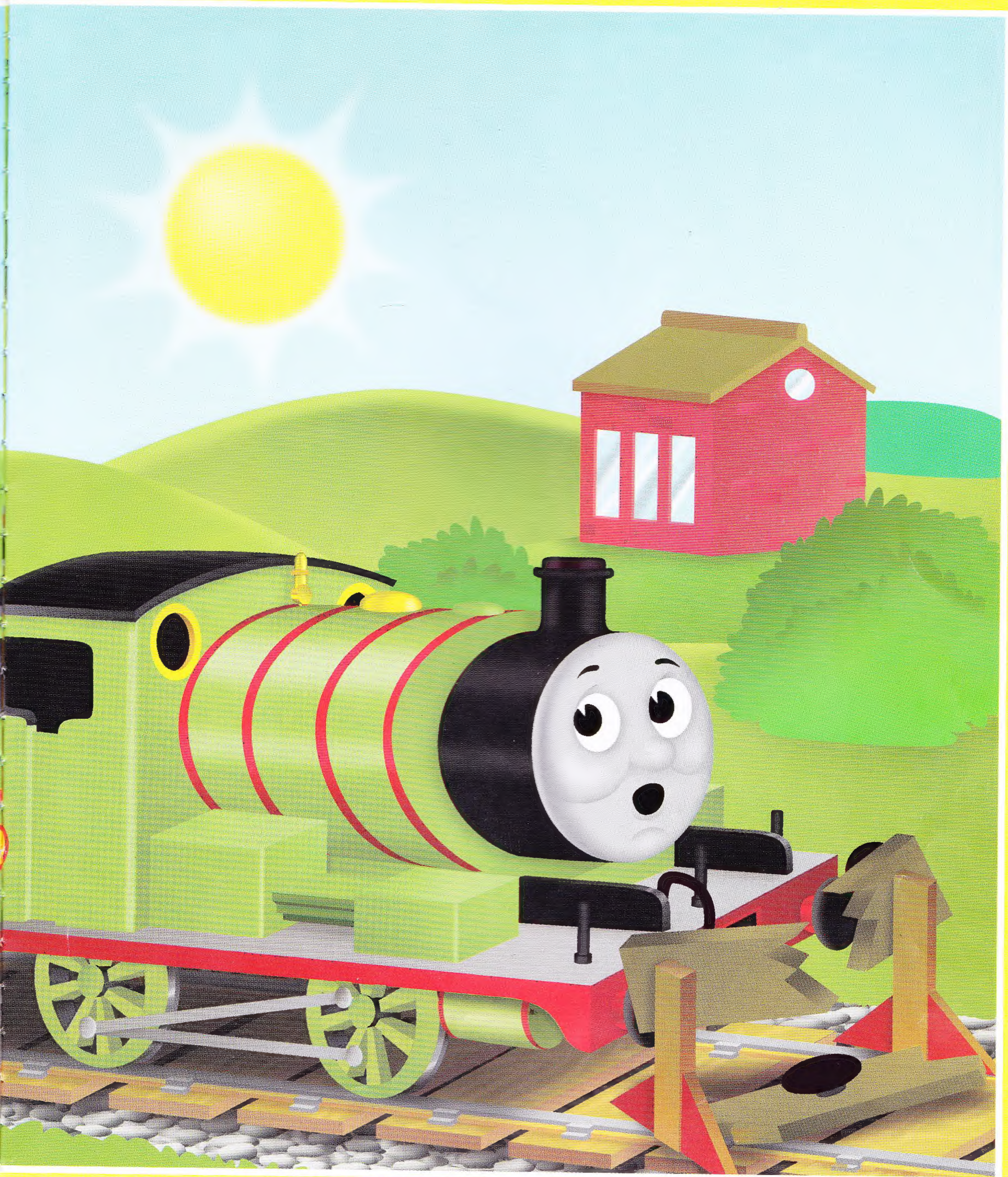
Thomas is worried. He's never been to the mechanic before.

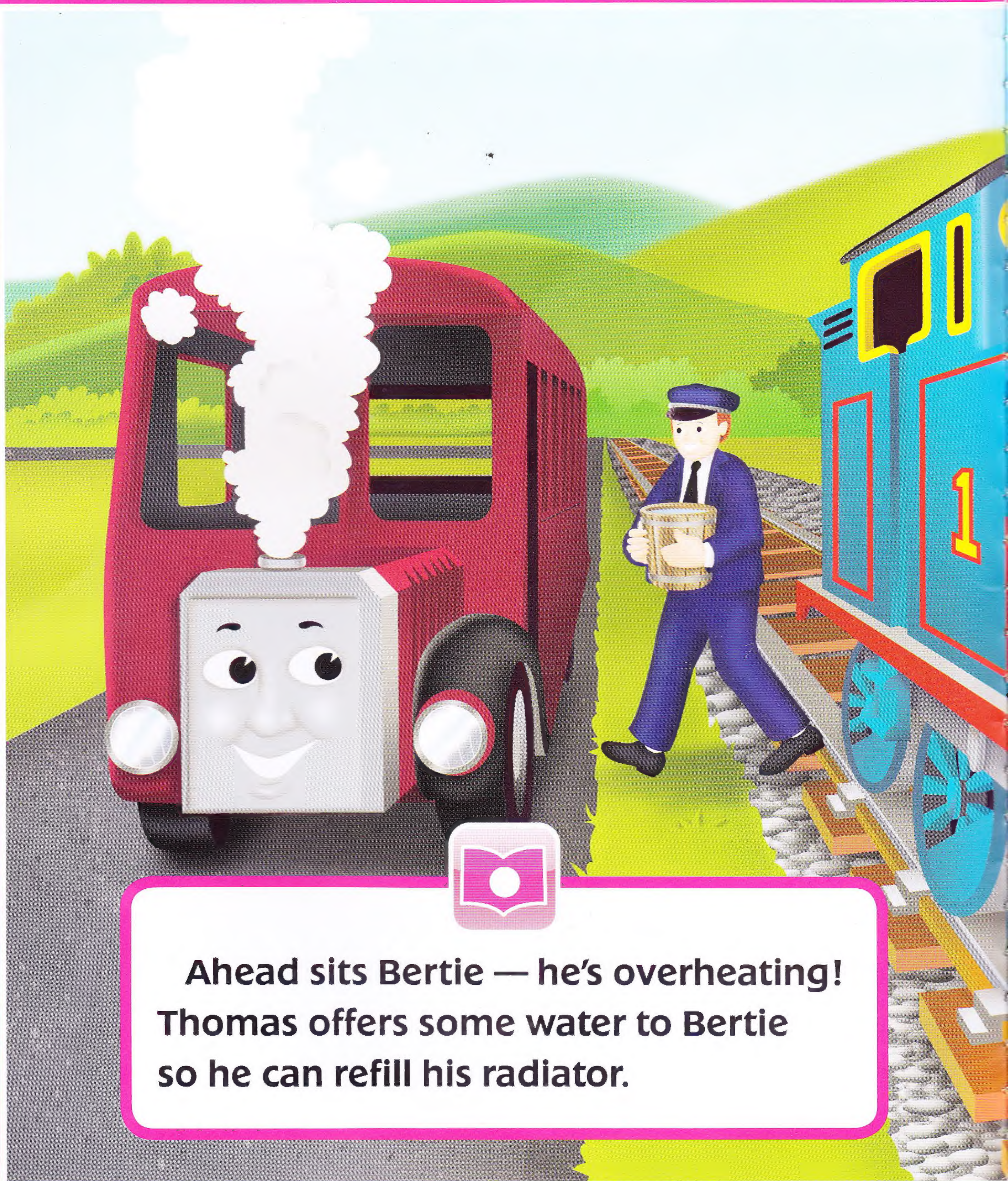




**Thomas chugs toward the repair shed.
Around the bend, Percy has run off his track.
Thomas pulls Percy back into position.**

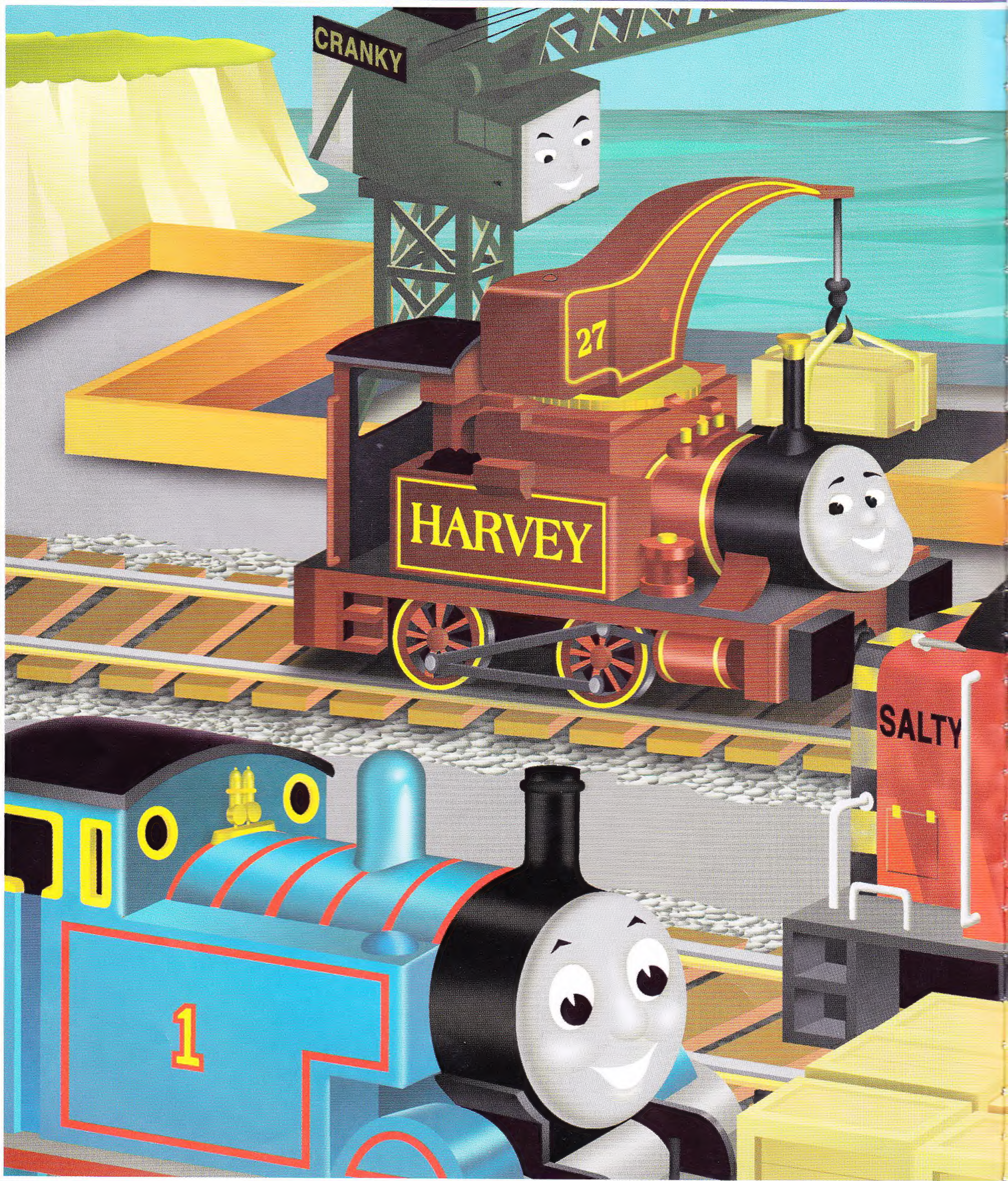






**Ahead sits Bertie — he's overheating!
Thomas offers some water to Bertie
so he can refill his radiator.**







As Thomas passes the docks, he sees Salty, Harvey, and Cranky hard at work. Thomas helps move the dockside cars until all the freight is unloaded.





At Gordon's Hill, Henry struggles with a heavy train. Thomas helps push, and Henry reaches the top of the hill.

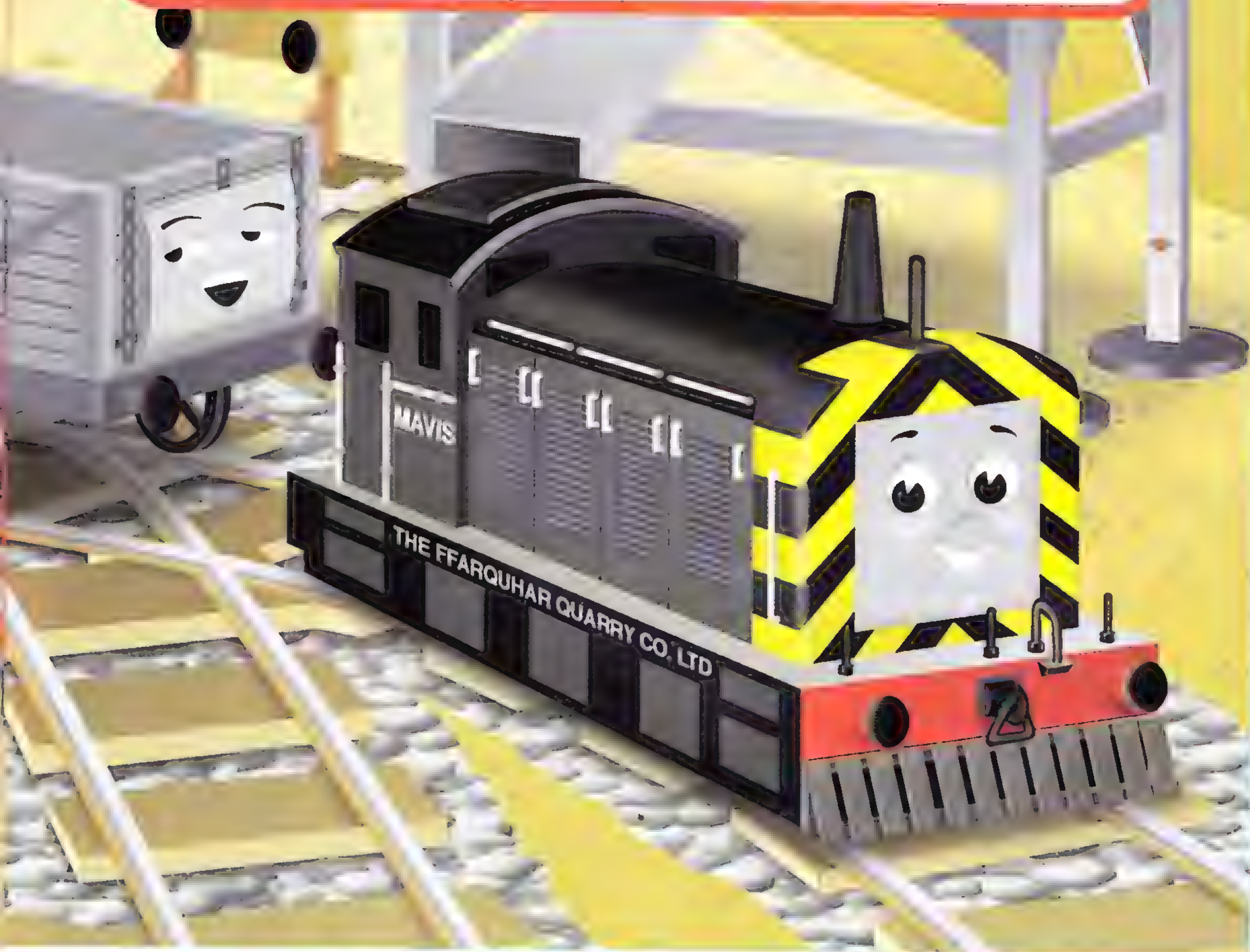








Thomas whistles as he passes the quarry. The Troublesome Trucks chuckle at the sound. Thomas almost forgot his whistle needs fixing! He feels worried again.





Harold hovers above. "There's a broken bridge ahead," he calls. Thomas hurries to get supplies and workers.







At the bridge, Harold lowers wood toward a worker who doesn't see it coming. Uh-oh. Thomas' whistle is too weak to warn them!

Luckily, the worker looks up in time. "He might have been hurt because I put off fixing my whistle!" thinks Thomas.

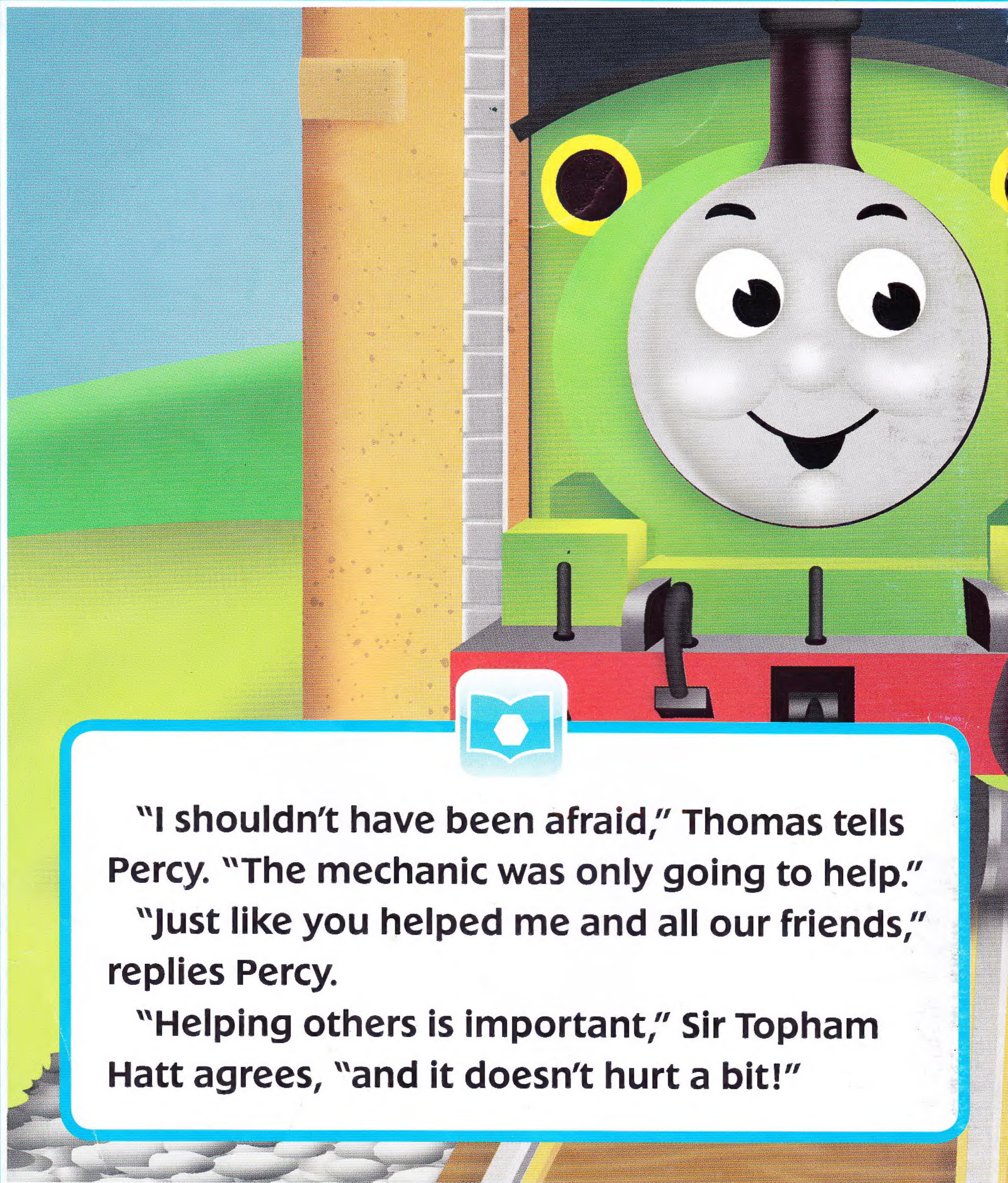




Thomas heads straight to the repair shed. "Will it hurt?" he asks.

"It *didn't* hurt!" the mechanic replies. "Your whistle is fixed already — and you didn't feel a thing!"





"I shouldn't have been afraid," Thomas tells Percy. "The mechanic was only going to help."

"Just like you helped me and all our friends," replies Percy.

"Helping others is important," Sir Topham Hatt agrees, "and it doesn't hurt a bit!"





Look for these books and more!



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This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

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